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SUBJECT: AMCHAM TELEGRAMS TO KEY HOUSE AND SENATE MEMBERS
CONCERNING SECTION 911 OF IRC

1. GEORGE SUTER, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE OF THE PHILIPPINES HAS REQUESTED THAT EMBASSY
RELAY TO EXECUTIVE BRANCH IN WASHINGTON THE FOLLOWING
MESSAGES, CONCERNING THE CURRENT STATUS OF SECTION 911
LEGISLATION, HR 13488, WHICH AMCHAM SENT TO CERTAIN MEM-
BERS OF CONGRESS:

TO: CONGRESSMAN THOMAS P. O'NEILL
- CONGRESSMAN ALL ULLMAN
- CONGRESSMAN JOE WAGGONER

BEGIN QUOTE:
WE ARE EXTREMELY CONCERNED AND DISAPPOINTED ABOUT DELAY
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IN RESOLVING TAX PROBLEMS FACED BY OVERSEAS AMERICANS
STOP CURRENT EXTENSION OF FILING DATE FOR 1977 RETURNS
EXPIRES AUGUST 15 STOP URGENTLY REQUEST YOUR SUPPORT
FOR A DEFERRAL BILL COVERING 1977 STOP HAVE ADVISED OUR
MEMBERS NOT TO FILE UNDER NEW LAW AND STILL WAIT FOR
DEFERRAL STOP

WE ALL APPRECIATE EFFORT OF HWM SUBCOMMITTEE ON MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE MEASURES FOR THE EXCELLENT BILL HR13488 THEY HAVE DEVELOPED TO PROVIDE PERMANENT SOLUTION TO THE DILEMMA CAUSED BY THE 1976 TAX LAW SEC 911 AMENDMENTS STOP OUT SINCERE THANKS TO HOUSE AND COMMITTEE LEADERSHIP AND CO-SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS OF HR13488 STOP HOPE YOU CAN BREAK LOGJAM CURRENTLY PREVENTING ACTION ON HR13488 ASAP

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP END QUOTE

TO: SENATOR ROBERT C. BYRD
- SENATOR RUSSELL B. LONG

BEGIN QUOTE:
CURRENT EXTENSION OF 1977 INCOME TAX RETURN FILING DEADLINE FAST APPROACHING ON AUGUST 15TH FOR PRIVATELY EMPLOYED AMERICANS RESIDING OVERSEAS STOP WE URGENTLY NEED SENATE ACTION ON DEFERRAL FOR 1977 OF SECTION 911 AMENDMENTS IN 1976 TAX LAW SIMILAR TO 1976 DEFERRAL REF HR3477 STOP HAVE ADVISED OUR MEMBERSHIP NOT TO FILE UNDER NEW LAW AND STILL WAIT FOR DEFERRAL STOP APPRECIATE YOUR EARLIER SUPPORT OF OUR POSITION AND HOPE SOME STEPS CAN BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY TO BREAK LOGJAM PREVENTING PASSAGE OF THIS VERY IMPORTANT LEGISLATION.

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THANK YOU END QUOTE

2. COMMENT. MR. SUTER INFORMS US THAT AMCHAMS THROUGHOUT ASIA ARE MAKING SIMILAR REQUESTS TO THEIR AMBASSADORS. MURPHY

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